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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No. 72095CON1
 Anticipated Classification of
 this application: Class 370
 Prior Application:
 Examiner: Dang T. Ton
 Art Unit: 2661

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir: This is a request for filing a

☒ Continuation

☐ Divisional

of pending prior application Serial No. 09/168,807 filed on October 8, 1998 of R. Randall. Belk

for **Dynamic Delay Compensation for Packet- Based Voice Network**

1. ☒ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.
2. ☐ Prepare a copy of the prior application.
3. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
4. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS ANY
 CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
FOR:	# FILED		# EXTRA		RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE						\$ 370	OR		\$ 740
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	-20			X 9	\$	OR	X 18	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	2	-3			X 42	\$	OR	X 84	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED					130	\$	OR		
* If the difference in Col. 1 is less than "0", enter "0" in Col. 2.					TOTAL	\$ ***		TOTAL	\$ 740

5. ☒ Authorization is given to charge Deposit Account No. 01-0484 in the amount of \$ 740.00. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, or if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 01-0484.
6. ☒ Cancel in this application original claims 2-14 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
7. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: ---

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8. ☐ Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. (May only be used if signed by person authorized by Rule 138 and before payment of base issue fee.)
- 9a. ☐ New formal drawings are enclosed.
- 9b. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. (country)
- 9c. ☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____ filed _____.
10. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to ADTRAN, INC..
11. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
Charles E. Wands, Reg. No. 25,649
Law Offices of Charles E. Wands 5240 Babcock Street, Suite 211, Palm Bay, FL 32905.
(name, registration number and address)
- a. ☒ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. ☒ Notice of Change of Address sent September 21, 2000.
- c. ☒ Continue to address all future communications to:
Charles E. Wands, Reg. No. 25,649, Allen, Dyer, Doppelt,
Milbrath, Gilchrist, P.A., P.O. Box 3791, Orlando, FL 32802-3791
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12. ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.19 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
13. ☒ I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 09/168,807 as originally filed on October 8, 1998.
14. ☒ Please associate this application with Customer No. 27975.



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The undersigned declare(s) further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

December 21, 2001
Date

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☐ Filed under Rule 34(a)